IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No. : 10/647,998 First Named Inventor : John Pether

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Title : SOIL TEST BOX

Group Art Unit : 1797

Examiner : Paul Sang Hwa Hyun

Confirmation No. : 3085

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Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicant submits this response to the non-final Office Action mailed April 17, 2007. Approval of the enclosed Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time allows Applicant until October 17, 2007 to file a response. As such, Applicant submits that this Response is timely filed, and respectfully requests consideration of the remarks provided below and allowance of the pending claims.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected at page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.